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## MISSOURI GAS ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEM REPLACEMENT SURCHARGE CHANGE TO TAKE EFFECT

JEFFERSON CITY—The Missouri Public Service Commission has approved a request filed by Missouri Gas Energy (MGE) to adjust the infrastructure system replacement surcharge (ISRS) which appears on the natural gas bills of its customers.

MGE sought the adjustment to reflect infrastructure system replacement investments made by the natural gas company from January 2005 through October 2005. These costs for natural gas pipeline replacements and/or relocations are not currently included in MGE's rates.

Currently residential customers pay a monthly ISRS surcharge of \$0.17 a month. The surcharge will be adjusted to \$0.36 a month and will take effect on January 29, 2006.

MGE serves approximately 508,600 natural gas customers in western Missouri.

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